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DAY'S WEATHER - PARIS: Cold, occ. showers. Temp. 41-54 (6-11). Tomorrow change. Yesterday's temp. 45-61 (6-9).

Table with exchange rates for various countries including Belgium, France, Germany, Great Britain, Greece, India, Iran, Israel, Japan, Korea, Lebanon, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Nigeria, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey, U.S. Military, and Yugoslavia.

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PARIS, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1971

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Main Trail Cut in Laos Drive, General Says

By Craig R. Whitney
VIGON, Feb. 15 (NYT).—Military officials asserted today that the main trail cut in the Laos drive, which has already succeeded in cutting off the flow of supplies and troops into the northernmost province of South Vietnam, is still being held.

105 Base of CIA Hit by Sappers

By Peter Jay
NELLINE, Laos, Feb. 15 (WP).—Laotian government today said details of a devastating sapper attack on a CIA base in northern Laos.

Bombing Continues

While the advances appeared to be headed for strategic junctions at Sepon, Gen. Lam said today that "we don't need Sepon, only the principal trail, which we now occupy."

et Cong Give Own Body Count

2,738,000 Allied Dead in Decade
ONG KONG, Feb. 15 (AP).—The Viet Cong claim to have 2,738,000 allied troops in the ten years up to the end of the Hanoi radio said today.

Los Angeles Is Jolted Again

Two Minor Earthquakes
NGELES, Feb. 15 (UPI).—The rubble where 62 persons died in Tuesday's quake.



BEST QUALIFIED REPRESENTATIVE—Butting in at the right place, this cow seems to want a seat at the Common Market agriculture ministers' meeting in Brussels. The big lady was one of three taken into the meeting by protesting Belgian farmers.

The Cows That Went to Common Market

BRUSSELS, Feb. 15 (Reuters).—Scores of young Belgian farmers barged into a European Common Market ministers' meeting here today, dragging three reluctant cows with them in a protest over farm prices.

Big 3 Ask Berlin Status Change

By Lawrence Fellows
BONN, Feb. 15 (NYT).—The United States, Britain and France have proposed to the Soviet Union that West Berlin forgo its claim to be an integral part of the West German republic.

New Reggio Rioting Erupts; Rome Seeking a Compromise

REGGIO CALABRIA, Italy, Feb. 15 (NYT).—New rioting broke out and shots were fired in this rebellious southern city today as the Rome government was seeking to impose a compromise settlement to end more than seven months of unrest over the issue of Calabria's regional capital.

FDR and De Gaulle: Enmity of 1943 Revealed

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (AP).—"I do not know what to do with De Gaulle. Possibly you would like to make him governor of Madagascar," Franklin D. Roosevelt wrote to Prime Minister Winston Churchill on May 8, 1943.

Egypt Agrees to Plan By Jarring on Mideast

CAIRO, Feb. 15 (UPI).—Egypt's Council resolution, apparently has accepted proposals by UN mediator Gunnar V. Jarring for a Middle East peace settlement.

Eban Urges Egypt To Sign a Peace Pact

JERUSALEM, Feb. 15 (UPI).—Foreign Minister Abba Eban urged Egypt tonight to agree to sign a peace treaty with Israel and thereby "open new horizons and fruitful negotiations" in the Middle East conflict.

After Thousand Years, Britain Goes Decimal

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OPTIMIST—Lord Fiske, chairman of Britain's Decimal Currency Board, gives the thumbs up sign to the press at the end of the first day of the decimal system.

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Productivity Offer Spurned

Talks on Post Office Strike Apparently Broken Off in U.K.

LONDON, Feb. 15 (Reuters).—Peace talks aimed at ending the four-week-old strike that has paralyzed postal services throughout Britain broke down today.

Tom Jackson, leader of Britain's 220,000 striking postal workers, emerged from nearly three hours of discussions with post office officials and said: "It looks as though it is a complete breakdown."

British Take Decimal Switch More Easily Than Expected

(Continued from Page 1) of coins is cut by more than half. It is not a totally decimal system, actually, since there is also a new halfpenny—a tiny thing that feels like play money.

Today's talks delved into the post office's "productivity" offer, but the deal apparently came nowhere near to meeting the workers' demands.

New Reggio Riots Erupt

(Continued from Page 1) have its headquarters in Catanzaro, half the size of this city.

Mr. Colombo, who is a south-cornet, reportedly told the Calabria leaders who had come to Rome that the government and the majority of Italians were becoming increasingly impatient with the protracted feud between Reggio and Catanzaro.

3,500 More Join Swedish Strike

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 15 (UPI).—Another 3,500 government employees, including 500 dentists, went on strike today, bringing the total number of striking government workers in Sweden to 10,600.

Plantagenet Fallick would have been delighted with the whole thing. He was a central figure in Anthony Trollope's political novels, the sad prime minister who spent much of his time worrying about how to declassify the currency.

Over 2 Million War Medals Awarded by U.S. in Vietnam

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (Reuters).—The United States has awarded more than 2 million medals for acts of bravery in Vietnam—about one for every serviceman who has been stationed there.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (UPI).—The Pentagon statistics cover the Medal of Honor—the highest award for bravery—the Distinguished Service Cross, the Air Force Cross, the Navy Cross, the Silver Star, the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Bronze Star and the Air Medal.



FUNNY STORY—Israeli Premier Golda Meir (right) and former Premier David Ben-Gurion flanking Grisha Feigin in Tel Aviv. Mr. Feigin is a former Soviet officer who has just been allowed to emigrate to Israel.

Jordan Army, Palestinians Fight Again

AMMAN, Feb. 15 (UPI).—Fighting broke out in Jordan for the fifth straight day today.

Concorde Tests Held Up After Part Drops Off

LONDON, Feb. 15 (AP).—The British-French Concorde supersonic airliner has been grounded until mid-March because of engine trouble.

Laos Thrust Already Cutting Red Supplies, Saigon Reports

(Continued from Page 1) Although the South Vietnamese report they have killed 440 enemy troops since they moved into Laos Feb. 8, their advance has met with little resistance.

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(Continued from Page 1) port cities of Gdansk and Szczecin, sent costs soaring in both directions on goods affecting 66 percent of the home market.

Oil Pact Pleases The White House

KEY HISCAYNE, Fla., Feb. 15 (Reuters).—The White House expressed pleasure today that agreement on prices had been reached between 23 Western oil companies and six Persian Gulf states.

Western Concessions to Iraq Helped in Success of Oil Talks

TEHRAN, Feb. 15 (NYT).—Western oil men made special concessions to Iraq in the closing hours of the Persian Gulf price negotiations.

Bonn, Moscow To Hold Talks On Trade Record

BOON, Feb. 15 (AP).—West Germany and the Soviet Union will start talks on a new trade agreement in Bonn on Feb. 25, a government spokesman announced today.

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French Air Strike

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More Quakes in Italy

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Handwritten text at the bottom of the page: 160110 152

But U.S. Strike Is Still Possible

Railroads, Third Union Sign Accord

By Christopher Lydon
WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (NYT).—The railroads reached a contract agreement yesterday with the Brotherhood of Railway and Airline Clerks...

ever, it was reported by sources close to the bargaining that the agreement, like those of the two other unions, provides a wage increase of 4.6 percent over three and a-half years, dating from Jan. 1, 1970.

Secretary of Labor James D. Hodgson expressed the hope that the clerks' agreement, signed in his office at 6 o'clock yesterday morning, after an all-night bargaining session, would break the impasse with the still unagreed United Transportation Union...

Historic Accords in U.S.

Contractors, Building Unions Sign 'Productivity Compacts'

By Frank C. Parter
BAL HARBOUR, Fla., Feb. 15 (AP)—Construction contractors and building trade unions signed historic agreements yesterday designed to outlaw strike jurisdictional strikes and strict trade practices.

Mr. Dennis had replied immediately in behalf of the clerks that 37 percent was insufficient—particularly because the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, which was raising Mr. Dennis's membership...

Can Firms Struck
WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (AP)—A representative of the United Steelworkers Union reported agreement was reached today with the National Can Co. on the first day...

Airplane Crashes On Benefit Flight; All Aboard Survive

SHAWNEE, Okla., Feb. 15 (AP).—One of 19 planes participating Sunday in the third annual Fly to Heart Airlift, a fund-raising drive sponsored by the Shawnee Air Association, crashed and took up in a field. All 25 persons aboard the DC-3 survived.

Mr. Reese said the DC-3 was the largest of 19 planes involved in the airlift, in which private pilots donate their planes and services to provide short sightseeing tours, with passengers paying a sum per pound of body weight...

Washington, Feb. 15 (AP)—When the first true history of space travel is written, the voyage of Apollo-14 may well be remembered as a turning point—a turning point in the sense that Apollo-14 taught man what his own role could be in the exploration of space.

Soviet Interpreter Says She Wants to Stay in Britain

LONDON, Feb. 15 (AP)—Marina Chukhina, a Russian interpreter at the Soviet Embassy in London, said today she wants to stay in Britain and won't return to the Soviet Embassy officials at her decision.

Under the new agreement, fines ranging from \$250 to \$1000 may be levied against a national union that fails to take "prompt and appropriate" action against a jurisdictional dispute or picketing.

More Blacks in Suburbia, But More Whites Move Too
By Jack Rosenthal
Mississippi River only one city, Oakland, Calif., has a Negro population as large as 30 percent.

U.S. Command at Panama to Be Absorbed Soon

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (NYT).—President Nixon is to take a step toward simplifying the United States defense structure by abolishing the Southern Command, now one of seven commands combining all branches of the armed services.

But meanwhile 12.5 million whites also moved to the suburbs. As a result, the black composition of the total suburban population in 1970—4.5 percent—barely changed from the 1960 figure of 4.3 percent.

Italy's Autostrada Also Freeway
ROME, Feb. 15 (UPI)—Motorists had free access to all Italian highways today for the second day thanks to a strike of superhighway personnel.

Black Prisoners in Mass. Jail

RINGFIELD, Mass., Feb. 15 (AP)—About 30 Negro inmates on a rampage at Hampden County Jail yesterday, causing 100 damage before returning their cells. No injuries were reported and no force was used to end the disturbance.

Breakdown by City
WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—The new report of the racial breakdown of population covered the 97 metropolitan areas with populations of 500,000 or more which together account for almost one half of the total U.S. population.

U.S. Army Asks the Public
MILAN, Tenn., Feb. 15 (UPI).—Unless there is adverse public opinion, about three million blackbirds roosting at the U.S. Army arsenal here will be sprayed with an airplane spray that would freeze them to death within minutes.

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SAID HE SAW—Clairvoyant Olof Jonsson, of Chicago, relates how he conducted an experiment in telepathy with Comdr. Edgar D. Mitchell while he was on the moon.

Less Need for 'Control'

Apollo-14 Findings Stress Freedom of Action on Moon

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Retired Rear Adm. John D. Haynes, for one, contends the new "Soviet naval corps" into the Gulf of Mexico and the Caribbean "are the most pregnant events in U.S. foreign relations since World War II."

20 U.S. Census Figures Show More Blacks in Suburbia, But More Whites Move Too

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (NYT).—An accelerating number of blacks moved to the suburbs in the 1960s, but the mostly white character of the suburbs was maintained by a simultaneous white movement of whites from cities to suburbs, a 1970 census report disclosed.

Going to and from the moon, the astronauts were test pilots; their first day on the moon they were physicists, the next day geologists, and when it was all over they became tourists, took pictures, and played a little golf.

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Jewish Group in U.S. Resumes Soviet Picketing

NEW YORK, Feb. 15 (AP)—The militant Jewish Defense League resumed picketing of the Soviet mission to the United Nations last night after a moratorium of nearly a month.

Seen Cold to Russia

Libya Reported Receptive To Improving U.S. Relations

TUNIS, Feb. 15 (NYT).—The Libyan government has indicated to Tunisian officials that it is opposing efforts by the Soviet Union to spread its influence in that major oil-producing center of the Arab world.

U.S. Can't Track Red Subs in Gulf of Mexico

By George C. Wilson
WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (UPI).—The U.S. Navy, which for years has been keeping track of Soviet submarines all over the world, now is afraid of losing them in America's own back yard—the Gulf of Mexico and Caribbean.

ed, American submarines would team up with airplanes from both land bases and aircraft carriers, helicopters and destroyers to locate the Russian sub.

around Cuba, she cannot be heard by the East Coast SOUSUS. Conceivably the Soviet sub could sail out of Cienfuegos into the Gulf of Mexico undetected.

New U.S. Weapons for Use By Units Behind Enemy Lines

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (NYT).—The Pentagon is developing specialized weapons and tactics designed to enable a handful of soldiers to operate more effectively in 20 or even 100 miles behind enemy lines in order to collect intelligence or call in air strikes on well-camouflaged military installations.

To help the patrol to guard against being surprised at night, a new infra-red scope was developed to enable a member of the patrol to discern the body heat of an enemy soldier 200 feet away, even under dense jungle cover.

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National Gallery Loses Bid to Keep Velazquez in U.K.

LONDON, Feb. 15 (UPI).—The National Gallery lost its battle today to retain a portrait of Juan de Pareja, which the company bought Nov. 27 in an art auction at Christie's.

Christie's said it was the highest price paid for a painting at a public auction. The government committee on the Export of Works of Art said it recommended that the license be granted in light of the government's decision not to provide financial assistance to the National Gallery so that it could buy back the portrait from the New York firm.

Traskei Tribes Fight: 28 Killed
UMTATA, Transkei, South Africa, Feb. 15 (Reuters).—Police today counted 28 dead in bloody fights between rival tribal gangs in the remote Laundakisa region of Transkei.

Cross-Channel Ferries Collide in Dover Port

DOVER, England, Feb. 15 (Reuters).—Thousands of passengers bound for France were diverted to other British ports today after two British cross-channel ferries collided in the harbor here.

Shriver in Law Firm

NEW YORK, Feb. 15 (UPI).—R. Sargent Shriver, former director of the Peace Corps and ambassador to France, became a partner today in the Wall Street law firm of Strasser, Spiegelberg, Fried and Frank.

Another frequent complaint of those operating behind enemy lines concerns mud or dirt jamming the M-16 rifle. ARPA is developing a new low maintenance rifle utilizing special lubricants and a stainless steel barrel. The new rifle carries a magazine with 35 rounds, a dart-like buffer. Because of the light weight of the ammunition, sources say, each soldier may

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News Analysis

Pompidou's African Tour Showed French Hold Is Firm

By Anatole Shub
PARIS, Feb. 15 (UPI)—A glow of self-satisfaction radiated through government circles in the wake of French President Georges Pompidou's successful ten-day tour of West African former colonies...

Police Watch Rightists in W. Germany

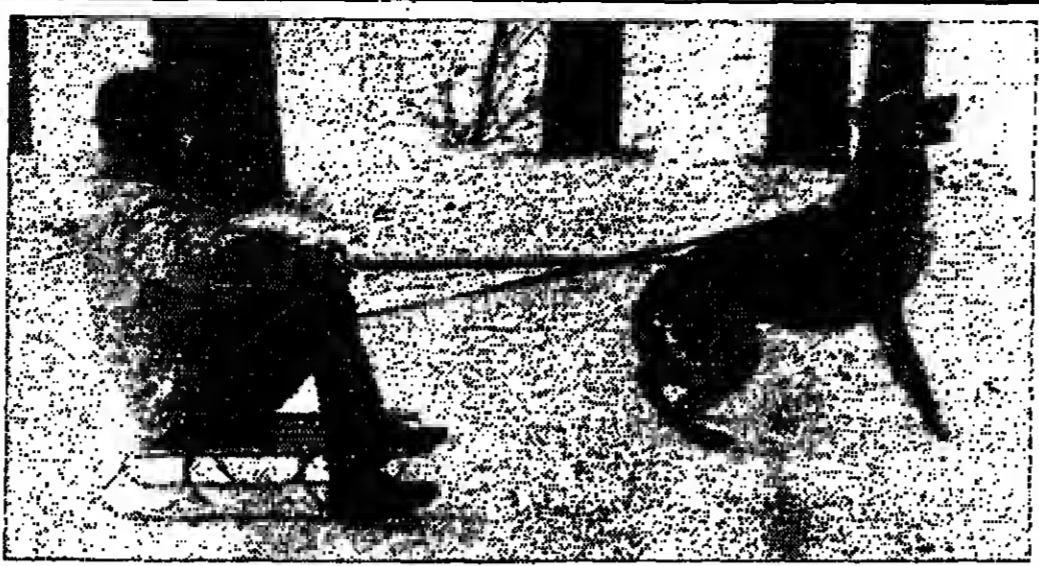
BONN, Feb. 15 (UPI)—State prosecutors today ordered close police surveillance on youthful rightists on the suspicion they acted as terrorism throughout West Germany...

Obituaries

Im. Halloran, 74, of Seabees

NEW YORK, Feb. 15 (UPI)—Rear Adm. Paul James Halloran, 74, of the Navy's civil engineering corps, died yesterday at his home in Yorktown Heights, N.Y....

Robert L. Moore
MORFORD LAKES, N.J., Feb. 15 (UPI)—Robert L. Moore, 58, a relations executive of the J.P. in Camden, N.J., and a former editor of the New York Times, was found dead in a automobile near here yesterday...



ONE MORE STEPPE—An alert German shepherd pulls his master on the snow of Moscow's Gorky Park, where the pair went to enjoy a day of bright crisp sunshine.

Colombo Rules Out Red Takeover in Italy

By Paul Hofmann
ROME, Feb. 15 (UPI)—Premier Emilio Colombo, who will visit Washington for talks with President Nixon later this week, firmly ruled out yesterday any possibility that the Communist party might come to power in Italy...

Moscow to Sell Consumer on 5-Year Plan

By Bernard Gwertzman
MOSCOW, Feb. 15 (UPI)—The Soviet leadership began a massive campaign yesterday to convince the public that the new five-year economic plan promises a rapid upsurge in the standard of living...

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A Tibetan tanka that sold for \$316 at Hôtel Drouot.



The Art Market

By Souten Melikian

PARIS, Feb. 15.—Tibetan art sells well in Paris and London, and it sells well in an otherwise deteriorating market...

In London, Sotheby's included several Tibetan objects d'art in a Feb. 11 sale. There were 11 tankas—the procession and temple banners painted on silk with Buddhist religious representations...

Paris

The success of this Tibetan sale in London only confirms the trends established in Paris at Drouot, at two auctions conducted by Jean-Louis Picard with expert Guy Portier's assistance...

In order to appreciate the significance of the price, one should remember that the great Tibetan craze in France and England goes back to pre-World War I days when very large collections were formed...

Art in Europe: The New Exhibitions in London, Madrid and Barcelona

LONDON

A show which has by no means received its due credit is that of Larry Poons's recent work at the Kasmin Gallery. Some critics have opined that Poons, an American, has only now discovered what Europe knew about ten and 15 years ago...

and relieve appearance the work can be compared to pictures of lunar surfaces or topically colored landscapes seen from a plane at 30,000 feet.

The rest of this week's offerings are figurative in their own particular ways. At Gimpel Fils is an exhibition of recent paintings by Donald Hamilton Fraser, who's fast becoming one of our senior figurative painters.

All his paintings are in the nameless tradition of the classical painter—landscape, figure, still life. The only danger is that he might, like so many of the good figurative painters of the Ecole de Paris, come close to parodying himself...



From an L. S. Lowry drawing.

nevertheless, I don't think he will do so, on the evidence of some of the smaller oils.

This repetitive trend is the chief objection to some of the work in Le Tour des Ateliers, the annual accochage of the living French artists who periodically show at the gallery of Arthur Tooth & Son. Exceptions, however, to this general fault of the artists of the Ecole de Paris are to be found in a large Greek landscape of Rhodes and a small painting of the "Promenade à Cos" both by Roland Oudot; a small Yves Gamme of "Le Quai aux Fleurs"; a pleasing group of nudes by

Ghiljon-Green, and two paintings by Muhl made before his latest developments and directions. One is a landscape entitled "Les Ruages" which clearly shows how strongly and how long Bonington and Constable have influenced French landscape painting; the other, a fine painting of the pearly grey Parisian light in "Paris Vu de Clamart." Another exception is a still life by Antoni Clavé.

One either has a great liking for the work of L.S. Lowry, or one dislikes it very much. I am of the former persuasion in certain respects though not necessarily for everything. His drawings are presently showing at the Lefevre Gallery. But the secret of the old master's success is to be seen not in the drawings but in the annex of his, the earliest of which is a semi-naïve, semi-academic but wholly professional work of "Street Singers" dating from 1924.

This annex contains a small anthology of some nine or ten oils (including the celebrated "A Late Call"), ranging over more than 40 years. From these works one very clearly discerns the real power of this artist—his austere manner of conveying the loneliness and isolation of sea and sky; and the equal but different isolation of the individual in the crowd.

MADRID

Zachrisson, Galeria Sequier, 3 Santa Catalina, Madrid; to Feb. 26.

PARIS AMUSEMENTS

THEATRE DES CHAMPS-ELYSEES

The youthfulness and zest of the dancers, the exceptional beauty of the girls, the suppleness of the costumes and the exotic strains of the Oriental guests and mandolins make of the "Bayanites"...

Freedom in Fashion

By Herb Dorsey

LONDON, Feb. 15.—London is a hotbed of fashion ideas. First it was the miniskirt and now the pop look, which is already breaking out all over the French scene.

Pop fashions can be traced right back to Mr. Freedom (real name: Tommy Roberts), a hefty, flamboyant man who looks like a modern version of Henry VIII.

Mr. Freedom started the whole pop madness 18 months ago, with just a star that he pinned dead center on a cheap T-shirt.

"Fun had seeped out of the clothing industry," he said with his strong cockney accent. "London was on a serious trip. So I wanted to make a joke out of it."

The "joke" proved to be a meteoric success. Six weeks ago, Mr. Freedom, who used to operate from a hole in the wall on Kings Road, moved over to a huge establishment at 20 Kensington Church St.

The Setting

The place is dedicated to pop culture with a campy mélange of ocolot settees, pinball machines, death mask rings, Big Apple pillows, Kiss-Me-Quick T-shirts, salegirls in hot pants, man-high papier-mâché surrealists, stars and stripes bathrobes, Batman jumpuits, wacky gadgets, cowboy posters, yellow walls, purple walls and Elvis Presley belting out "Hound Dog" on the jukebox.

Natty all right.

Right? That is as far as the fashions go. But Mr. Freedom,

whose eyes have a cunning glint, knows exactly what he's going and where he's going.

"I reckon the young people won't take what they're told anymore," he said. "They have their own minds. I think it's great that they can wear what they like without feeling silly. They don't bother about conforming these days. My customers appreciate the joke even if the joke is on them."

Fashion liberation is getting to be the big thing now, with fans really taking over from fashion but it has been mis-handled in France, Mr. Freedom said.

"They've done the look in brown and beige," he said, instead of our strong, vital, primary colors. They've watered the look down and it's all wrong."

Contrived

It is true that the British know how to do completely tacky, basically vulgar clothes and have them come out right and funny. In Paris, designers tend to take the whole thing too seriously and their so-called fun clothes often end up looking contrived.

Mr. Freedom has drawn not only young people from all walks of life but also celebrities such as Peter Sellers, Mick Jagger, Brigitte Bardot, Johnny Hallyday and Anthony Armstrong-Jones.

His comic-strip clothes are still selling well by Mr. Freedom is now trying to push another look. "I'm doing a slightly subcultural outfit," he said. "It's a bit erotic. We're also going



Mr. Freedom and one of his models.

for more masculine, almost transvestite things for women," he added. "Our next campaign is called 'Make your mouth water.' We're taking the lettering from Heinz beans or Kellogg's cornflakes and putting them over clothes, in that repetitive style used by Andy Warhol."

While he is 6 ft. 6 in., Mr. Freedom is also pushing pop furniture. He has a huge round bed on which is sitting a manorous woman who could be Myra Breckinridge or the wife of Frankenstein. "It's just a crude pop statement," he said. He also made a fake fur settee that looked like an enormous set

of false teeth and cost £165. It never sold. "All the teeth fell out," Mr. Freedom said, grinning.

Fashion designer Vicky Tiel and Ron Berkeley got married this weekend and invited all their friends to celebrate last night with pizza and spaghetti at Mimi's, a Chelsea restaurant. The friends came from the fashion and movie worlds and included Louis Peraud, Elga Andersen, Michael Caine, Suzannah York, Laurence Harvey and the Richard Burtons.

Vicky can't be accused of fashion phyness. She picked up her wedding dress, vintage 1914 and quite pratty really, at the Paris Flea Market. The couple got stacks of presents including antique dishes and silver trays but the best of all was right outside, parked at the curb. It was a gleam, mustard-yellow MG, a present from the Burtons. This was a close-knit family affair, since Elizabeth is a partner of the show. Vicky runs on Rue Bonaparte, and Ron is Renault's machine man.

Music in England: When the Decibels Don't Count

By Henry Pleasants

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Like and Tina Turner like to tell of a concert they gave in a New York hotel to a house of gentle folk. As Tina remembers it, "I peeked through the curtain, and they all had hearing aids. When we played, they were turning them down."

At the Odeon Theatre in Hampstead, where the Turners and their company played to two packed houses, Saturday evening, the audience was young and, presumably, blessed with normal hearing. But the fact that no one, as far as I could see, had recourse to ear plugs left me wondering what normal hearing is, these days, in those under 30.

It is only reasonable to remember, of course, that music has been growing ever louder for a couple of centuries. Beethoven was taken to task for the noisy assertiveness of his winds; and the symphony orchestra has nearly doubled in size since his time, and probably more than doubled in volume, with steel replacing copper on the stringed instruments.

Berlioz, Wagner, Strauss, Mahler, Bruckner and Stravinsky, all capitalised on the excitement engendered by an assault upon the human ear, and each had to outdo the other as

decibels quickly came to accept with equanimity what had stirred their elders to ecstasy or sent them heading for the nearest exit.

Electronic amplification hasn't changed the pattern, but it has accelerated the rise in what is accepted as a tolerable decibel count. And the mischief, if mischief it is, has been compounded by the musical performer's anxiety that a moment's easing off, in a clamorous and competitive market, may lose him his audience's attention beyond recall. Not only the gain is higher. The pace is faster, the

pitch is higher, the intensity unreleved.

All this is reflected in the work of the Turners, who were here winding up a highly successful European tour. This has emerged in the past year as the biggest name in rhythm and blues, or soul music, since Aretha Franklin. She is a strong and engaging performer. Like a master blues guitarist. They have expert vocal and instrumental backing. It is an utterly professional performance, complete with light show.

But it's all out from beginning to end—and somehow uncon-

vincing. The spontaneous, cumulative ecstasy and exhilaration of gospel music, from which the Turners' music derives, cannot be ordered up twice a night, not alone by sustained without surfeit. I found myself thinking not of Ike and Tina Turner, but of Edward Haggitt, the Viennese critic of a century ago, who foresaw in Wagner the decadence of European music. "Wagner," he once said, "writes only in superlatives, and a superlative has no future."

It's something to think about with the decibel count at 100 or thereabouts—if one can think about anything.

Entertainment in New York

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—This is now critics for the New York Times rate new movies:

"The Last Valley," directed by James Clavell with Michael Caine and Omar Sharif, is a kind of historical movie, and something of a parable, and it winds up being a bit more boring than is absolutely necessary, according to Vincent Canby in "The Times." "Mr. Clavell, I suspect, sees the incredible horrors of the Thirty Years War as a metaphor for contemporary horrors, but he seems either incapable of—or uninterested in—developing a physical drama with any kind of intellectual sub-structure." He liked the acting of Jill O'Hara, Kate Reid and William Red-

field and said Dexter's work reflects the intelligence and tension of a director who knows what really can take place in front of a movie camera.

"Say Hello to Yesterday," directed by Alvin Karpov, stars Jerry Simmons and Leonard Whiting in a modest, carefully wrought drama—the fleeting ten-hour relationship of a cottish English boy and an older, married woman—that should have been a small gem. Howard Thompson of "The Times" writes, "It misses, as surely as it pursues the right path. What it lacks is central beating and genuine emotional pull, for all its amusing vignettes, perceptively tenderness and bitterness wrap-up."

INTERNATIONAL FUNDS

Table listing various international funds with columns for fund names and prices. Includes sections for CAPITAL GROWTH, SWISS BANK CORP., BARCELONA, and FUNDS OF AUSTRALIA GROUP.

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Experts to Evaluate Rolls' RB-211

By Anthony Lewis
LONDON, Feb. 15 (NYT)—The British government has appointed a team of technical experts to appraise the Rolls-Royce RB-211, the ill-fated engine designed for Lockheed's TriStar airliner.

British Aid Effort Hangs in Balance

But time is needed to investigate the possibilities. Rolls-Royce went into bankruptcy two weeks ago because of threatened heavy losses on the RB-211 contract. The Rolls crash threatens to make Lockheed a falling domino, since its commercial activity is centered on the TriStar.

Supply, Frederick Corfield, expected to meet Mr. Houghton on Friday. Their talks would necessarily be "of an exploratory nature," he said. Only when the special technical study is completed, Lord Carrington said, would it be possible to begin substantive negotiations.

Time is short for both Rolls and Lockheed. The British government has kept work going on the RB-211 by agreeing to indemnify the receiver for his costs for three weeks from last Friday. The banks are pressing Lockheed.

Lord Carrington also disclosed, for the first time, that Prime Minister Edward Heath had asked him to coordinate all government activities on the Rolls crisis. Lord Carrington is regarded as one of the toughest and ablest members of the cabinet, and one of the closest to Mr. Heath.

There have been reports in some papers here of U.S. anger at having had false assurances of British government support for the RB-211 before the crash. One report said Mr. Corfield had given a personal commitment to David Packard, deputy U.S. Defense Secretary.

Lord Carrington specifically denied those reports today. Lockheed officials are currently negotiating with the British regarding a new contract that would permit Rolls-Royce Ltd. to deliver the RB-211 jet engine for the TriStar without suffering the hundreds of millions of dollars in losses that would result under the present pact.



Hans-J. Schreiber



Alexander de Takacsy

PEOPLE IN BUSINESS

Company Luxembourgeoise de Banque SA, Luxembourg, wholly-owned subsidiary of Dresdner Bank AG, has named Hans-J. Schreiber managing director.

Alexander de Takacsy has been appointed regional executive, Western Europe, for Royal Bank of Canada, Montreal, Mr. de Takacsy, who retains the presidency of wholly-owned subsidiary Royal Bank of Canada (France), is responsible for development of bank activities in Western Europe in his new post.

Jean-Villechaise, chairman of Morgan & Cie. SA, has been elected senior vice-president of two international subsidiaries—Morgan Guaranty International Banking Corp. and Morgan Guaranty International Finance Corp., which hold minority interests in financial institutions in 31 countries.

Robert Hoyet, formerly president of Inter-Continental Hotels, has been elected to succeed John B. Gates as chairman of the board of directors. Mr. Gates, senior vice-president—corporate development of Pan Am, returns to the parent company. Previously executive vice-president of finance, Pan Am, Mr. Gates becomes president of Inter-Continental.

Clark International Marketing has appointed Josef I. Felder, 37, previously general manager of Clark Maschinenfabrik GmbH, to the newly-created post of general manager for industrial trucks, Europe.

David S. Ballie has been named general manager of the Allied Chemicals marketing subsidiary headquartered in Rome.

Council Expels Broker LONDON, Feb. 15 (AP)—Carroll-Max and Co., a London stockbrokerage firm, was "hammered" today on the stock exchange. The company, suspended from trading last week, is the third brokerage firm to be "hammered" in recent months.

In assessing performance of major company divisions in 1970, Mr. Lewis cited increased earnings from space programs and reduced earnings from the P-111 military aircraft program. He said that most of the company's military missile programs are profitable. But he added, "We foresee losses on the standard missile program of such magnitude as to make this line of business unprofitable for this year."

Fret Less About Red Ink, U.S. Told

By Hebert Rowen
WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (AP)—Two U.S. economists suggested over the weekend that the government adopt an attitude of "benign neglect" toward its balance-of-payments problem.

The professors said that a policy of "passivity" does not imply neglect or lack of interest in the problems of U.S. trading partners or the problems of the international monetary system.

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over a serious dilemma of conflict... arises, domestic policy objectives should take precedence over balance-of-payments considerations. For balance-of-payments reasons, the United States should not accept more unemployment and more retardation of growth than may be necessary on domestic grounds to bring the price level under control.

Meanwhile, it was learned that the United States, in its best balance-of-payments report, will de-emphasize the traditional "liquidity" basis as an inadequate indicator of the real situation.

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No American Salvage Plans Now in Sight for Lockheed

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—If the U.S. government has any plan to help Lockheed Aircraft Corp. out of its current crisis, that plan is being kept a well-guarded secret.

Rescue Group For Australia Mine Co. Set

SYDNEY, Feb. 15 (AP)—A group of 16 of Australia's biggest businesses has agreed to contribute credit of up to \$5 million Australian dollars (\$3.8 million) to salvage Mineral Securities Australia Ltd. (Minsac), the mining investment house now controlled by provisional liquidators.

He said a line of credit would be extended to the liquidator to facilitate the orderly disposal of shares, held by Minsac and its subsidiary, Mineral Securities Investments.

Fiat Commencing Round of Layoffs; Engine Plant Set

TURIN, Feb. 15 (AP)—More than 3,000 workers of Lancia, a subsidiary of Fiat SpA, were laid off today as the first step in the layoff of more than 40,000 Fiat workers.

Engine Facility Projected
BULAGNA, Italy, Feb. 15 (Reuters)—Fiat has signed an agreement with industrial development authorities here for the construction of a 12 billion lire (\$1.2 million) plant near this central Italian city. It will produce engines for Fiat cars assembled at the company's plants in Turin.

Firestone Sells Holding
FRANKFURT, Feb. 15 (AP)—Deutsche Bank has acquired a more than 50 percent interest in Phoenix Gummi-Werke AG from Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.

Swiss Bank Sets Capital Increase

BASEL, Feb. 15 (AP)—Swiss Bank Corp., one of the country's "Big Three" banks reported a 15 percent increase in 1970 net earnings, to 128 million francs (\$32.2 million) from 113 million francs in 1969.

U.S. Defense Contractor in Red for 1970

NEW YORK, Feb. 15 (NYT)—General Dynamics Corp. reported over the weekend a net loss in 1970 of \$6.50 million, equivalent to 62 cents a common share, on sales of \$2,223 billion.

General Dynamics produces ships, aircraft, building materials and electric equipment, among other lines.

Economic Indicators

Table with columns: WEEKLY COMPARISONS, Feb. 7, Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 1970. Rows include Commodity Index, Currency in circ., Total loans, Steel prod., Auto production, Daily oil prod., Freight car loadings, Elec. Pwr. kw-hr., Business failures.

Table with columns: MONTHLY COMPARISONS, December, Prior Month, 1969. Rows include Employed, Unemployed, Industrial production, Personal income, Money supply, Construction contracts, Cons. & Pers. Index, Mfrs. inventories, Exports, Imports.

Commonly used, based on 1957-59=100, and the consumers' price index, based on 1957-59=100, are compiled by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. Industrial production is Federal Reserve Board's adjusted index of 1957-59=100. Imports and exports as well as employment are compiled by the Bureau of Census of the Department of Commerce. Money supply is total currency outside banks and demand deposits adjusted as reported by Federal Reserve Board. Business failures compiled by Dun & Bradstreet, Inc. Construction contracts are compiled by the F. W. Dodge Division, McGraw-Hill Information Systems Company.

Japanese Payments Deficit In January Set a Record

TOKYO, Feb. 15 (AP)—Japan's Finance Ministry today estimated the country's balance-of-payments deficit for January at a record \$310 million.

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Table with columns: Federal Pacific Electric, 1970, 1969. Rows include Revenue, Profits, Per Share.

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U.S. Markets Are Closed

All U.S. stock exchanges, banks and commodity exchanges were closed today, Washington's Birthday.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CONDITION

Large table with columns: Assets, Liabilities, Capital Funds. Rows include Cash and Due from Banks, Federal Funds Loaned, U.S. Treasury Securities, State and Municipal Securities, Other Securities, Trading Account Securities, Loans, Reserve for Possible Loan Losses, Customers' Acceptance Liability, Bank Premises and Equipment, Other Assets, Demand Deposits, Savings Deposits and Certificates, Other Time Deposits, Deposits in Foreign Office, Federal Funds and Other Borrowings, Acceptances Outstanding, Mortgage Payable, Dividend Payable, Other Liabilities, 5% Convertible Capital Notes Due 1993, Capital Stock (\$16 Par Value), Surplus, Undivided Profits, Equity Capital, Total Capital Funds, Total Liabilities and Capital.

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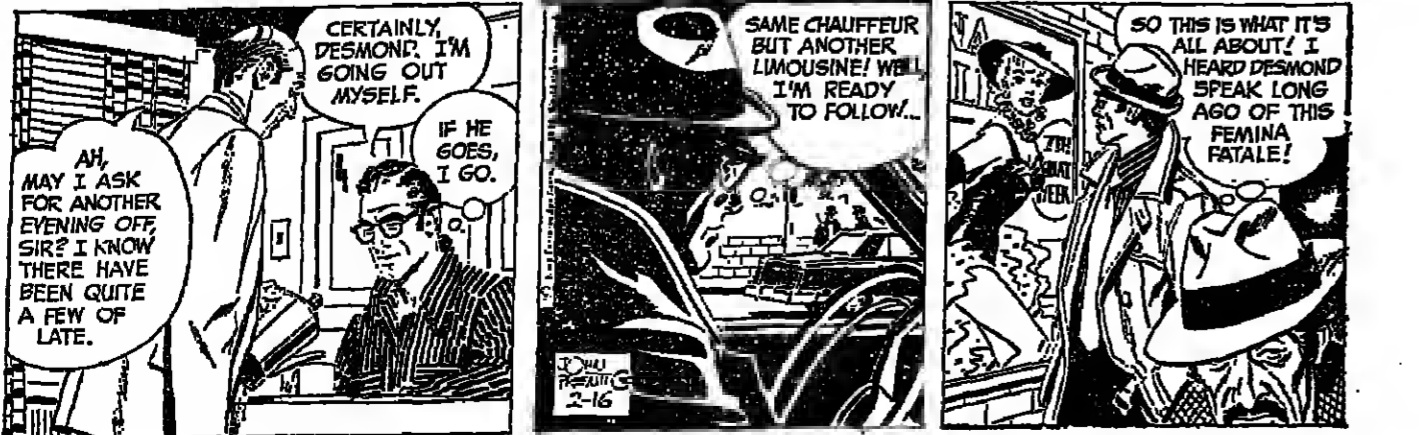
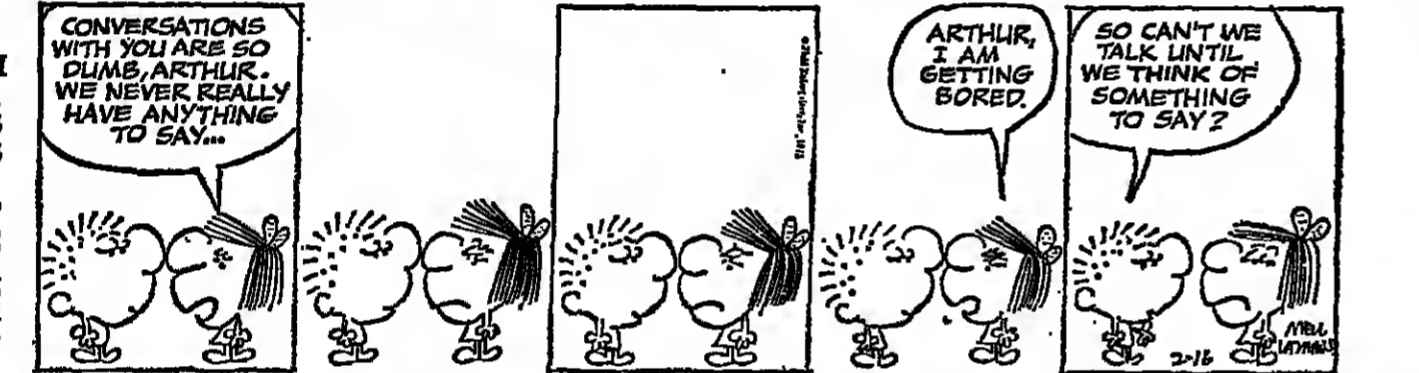
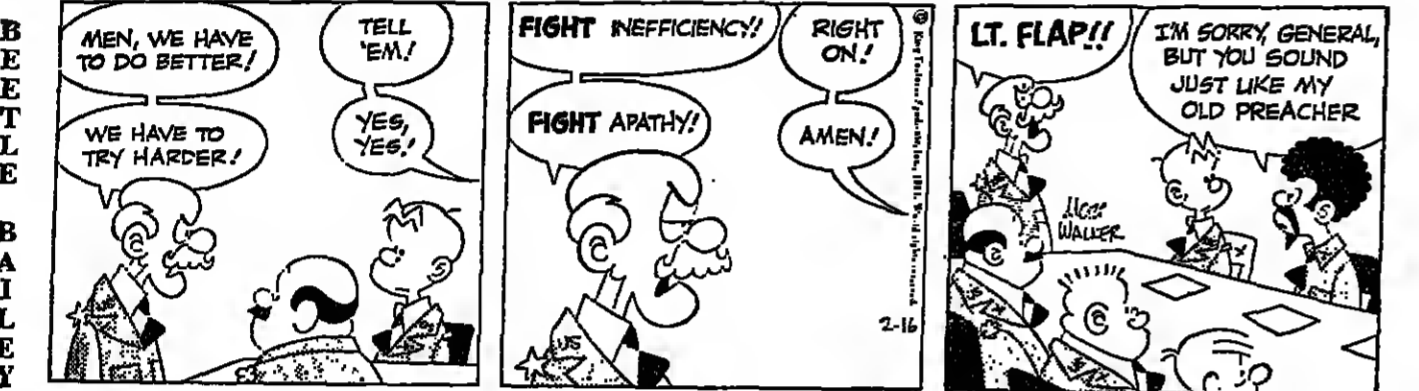
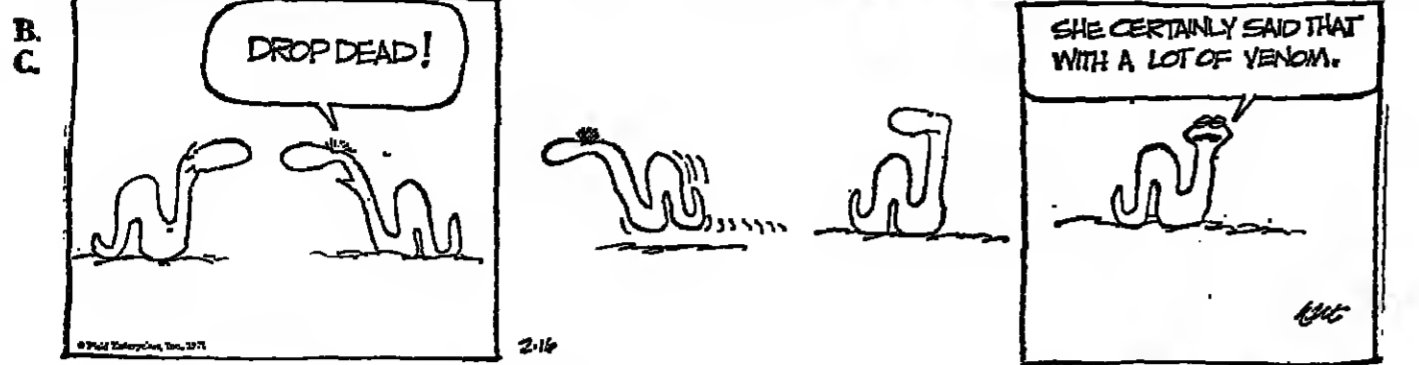
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DENNIS THE MENACE



JUMBLE

Jumble puzzle instructions and a cartoon illustration of a character with a speech bubble saying 'HOW YOU MIGHT FEEL AFTER THE TAKEOFF.'

BOOKS

THE MERRY MONTH OF MAY By James Jones. Delacorte. 361 pp. \$7.95. Reviewed by Christopher Lehmann-Haupt

MAYBE a case can be made for James Jones's new novel, "The Merry Month of May." Oddly enough, despite its obvious flaws—the clumsy patches in the prose, its sexual exhibitionism, the fatness and predictability of its plot—oddly enough, one wants to make a case for it.

CROSSWORD

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words.

